

BROMLEY TOT UP 23 BOOKINGS

ACTION will be taken by the Rothmans Isthmian League following the record number of bookings totted up by Bromley's players this season. Bromley, who were relegated last season, have now reached the massive total of 23 bookings in 27 league matches. Last season Clapton were labelled the bad boys of the league but they were successful in their appeal against the deduction of points when their disciplinary total passed the dozen mark.

Where does this leave the League officials? There is an officers meeting next Wednesday followed by a council meeting on Friday, February 27 and the Bromley disciplinary problems will be high on the agenda.

The League has written to the club asking for observations regarding the spate of bookings and if it continues Bromley may find players suspended from the competition.

When Sponsorship first started, clubs, managers and players were 100 per cent behind the bid to clean up the game. Since then, however, many new players and managers have come into the League.

Enfield are chasing Bobby Conn, the 19-year-old brother of Spurs' Scottish international forward Alfie. A well built mid-field player, Bobby has played for Albion Rovers in the Scottish League. He is studying to be a draughtsman and at present is staying at his brother's Hoddesdon home.

Enfield are giving trials to Paul Delea, a defender formerly with Chelmsford City and Folkestone. They are also busy exploring ways and means of raising about £4,500 — the estimated cost of competing in the Anglo Italian non league club tournament at the end of the season.

Enfield may have problems, however, in holding their talented mid-field player Peter McGillicuddy. He is on Millwall's wanted list having

played for the Den club in the Midweek League, but manager Fred Callaghan is not prepared to transfer McGillicuddy while Enfield are still chasing League and F.A. Trophy honours.

Walton and Hersham were dealt a further blow last week when Ron Hunt, their player-coach and skipper was stretchered off against Croydon with a broken ankle. The former Queens Park Rangers defender will be out of action until March.

Leatherhead have released their long serving striker Peter Lavers to join Hayes. Manager Billy Miller contacted Geoff Hurst the former West Ham World Cup star last week when he was released by West

Bromwich Albion but they were unable to compete with the terms offered by League of Ireland Club Cork Celtic who see him as a replacement for George Best. Drogheda and Dundalk are also chasing Hurst.

Hayes are still looking for more firepower up front but shied away when Barnet asked them for £250 fee for utility player Steve Webb.

Second Division Carlisle are still interested in Hayes midfield player Danny Clapton, formerly with Spurs.

Hendon striker Tony Amos has seen a specialist about his troublesome knee injury and his visit could confirm the need for a cartilage operation.

Bishop's Stortford have signed defender Les Boughey from Hoddesdon. Boughey was formerly with Spurs. Meanwhile, Watford are offering further trials to Wembley winger, Keith Cassells.

Walthamstow Avenue, have signed Alan Droy from Wembley. Like his brother Mickey at Chelsea, Alan is a central defender.

Nobby Skinner released by Woking has joined Maidenhead. Dulwich Hamlet have signed 17-year-old Chris Lewington, whose brother Ray is with Chelsea. Kingstonian have released Mickey Roach by mutual consent. The mid-field player wants to concentrate on his printing business.

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